(ii) Four armed Standing Vishnu.

The two stone images, registered under the Antiquities and Art Treasures Act, 1972, were stolen from the house of Shri Anil Chandra Chakra-
bor Ma Durga bari Vill. and P.O. Nalchhar, Police Station Sonamiira, West Tripura district, Tripur$_a$ State,
en incident occurred in

Will and not in North Tripura).

The Government of Tripura reported the incident to the local police and Central Bureau of Investigation (CBI) on 30-4-1987 and to the Secretary General. Interpol, Paris on 3-8-1987 by them. The In'erpol. CBI, New Delhi, however, has informed that no such assistance has been sought through it.

S.T.D. Facility in North and South Avenues—New Delhi

1864. SHRI JERLIE E. TARTANTG: Will the" Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government are aware that persons visiting Members of Parliament are facing great difficulties for want of S.T.D. telephone facility in Nor'h Avenue and South Avenue; and

(h) if so, whether the Government propose to instal public telephones with STD fafcility in North Avenue and South Avenue, and *he aporoxi-mate date of providing such facility?

THE MINISTER OP STATE IN THE MINISTRY OE COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI SONTOSH MOHAN DEVV (a) and (b) S.T.D. facility is available on most of the telephones of Members of Parliament in North Avenue and South Avenue. A few S.T.D. public telephones have been installed recently at a few places in Delhi where a large number of public can use them.

Provision of a STD public telephone in North Avenue and South Avenue
tan be crcd when some more STD pay-phones become available.

Kerala Express

1865 SHRI THOMAS KUTHIRA-VATTOM: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether railways propose to run Kerala Express on a daily basis;

(b) what is the speed of Kerala Express;

(c) whether there are any plans to reduce the running time of the train; and

(d) whether Government are aware that very old coaches are being u^ed in Kerala Express and if so, whether there are any plans to replace the old coaches?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI MADHAVRAO SCINDIA): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) Its maximum permissible speed and booked speed is 110 Kmph. and 100 Kmph., respectively.

(c) Review of the schedules of d'ffe-rent trains is a continuous process. However, there is n_0 such proposal at present.

(oh Th°re are no r>M coaches rilying On 125/126 Kerala Exoress and the existing coaches do not call for replacement.

Testing of human Vaccine at CBI Kasauli

1866. SHRIMATT RATAN KUMARI* Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that Central Research Institute, Kasauli is the only

Laboratory in India to test human vaccines,

(b) whether it is also a fact that CRI, Kasauli is not in a position to test number of human vaccines now being imported in the country for want of facilities or otherwise;

(c) if so, what are the names of those human vaccines and the reasons for not testing those vaccines;

(d) whether it is a fact that most of these human vaccines being imported are of sub-standard quality; and

(e) if so, what steps have been tal by Goverment to get them tested and by when CRI, Kasauli is proposed to be augmented and equip ped to be able to test all these human vaccines?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (KUMARI SAROJ KHAPARDE): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) and (c) Facilities for testing of Measles, Mumbs and Rubella (MMR Vaccine), Hepatitis B Vaccine, Meningococcal Vaccine are not available at present at the Central Research Institute, Kasauli.

(d) the Vaccinp conforming to the prescribed strength and quality manufactured by reputed manufacturers are only allowed to be imported. The vaccines which cannot be tested are released on the basis of the test protocols of the manufacturers and cerit-ficates of Batch releese from the National authorities and certificates of Batch release from, the National authorities of the exporting country furnished by the importer.

(e) Central Research Institute, Kasauli is in the process of developing testing methodology for these vaccines.

Licence for manufacturing of SUD-I prophylactic and Vitamins by two State Drag Authorities

1867. SHRIMATI RATAN KUMARI: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is **a** fact that sub therapeutic and sub-prophylactic pre parations and vitamin products have been licensed fop manufacture in the State$_s$ of Haryana, Rajasthan, Bihar, i J.... ; State Drug authorities;

!b) w^pti^'- centra] D^ug authorities have made any survey;

(c) if so, what are the details there of;

(d) what steps have been taken by Central Drugs Control to review i ' -\b prophylactic sub-therapeutic preparations and by when such situation is likely to be rectified;

(e) whether Government have issued any guidelines to State Drug Authorities about the standard and rationale of composition; and

(f) if so, what are the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (KUMARI S^F'OJ KHAPARDE); (a) Since State Drug Controllers are the licensing authorities for the manufacture, sale and distribution of drugs. Government has no information whether sub-therapeutic and sub-propylactie preparations including that of -Vitamins have been licensed for manufacture in Haryana, Rajasthan, Bihar, U.P., and M.P., however one of the pre-licensing condition given in the Drugs and Cosmetics Rules is to ensure that formulations licensed for manufacture are not sub-therapeutic and sub-prophylactic Schedule V prescribe therapeutic as well as pro-